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MEMORANDUM FOR THE NATIONAL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

FROM: C/Lt Col Zachary King

SUBJECT: NCAC Status Report

1. The National Cadet Advisory Council has maintained a heavy operational tempo since the Winter National Board Meeting. The Council has held two formal meetings since February and has communicated electronically on a daily basis. The Chairman established a new policy of developing 90-day strategic action plans to outline goals, tasks, and deadlines for each of the remaining two quarters of the Council's term.

2. Over the course of this term, the Council has identified areas of CAPR 52-16's Chapter 3 on Cadet Advisory Councils. The Council developed a proposal of revisions to the chapter with the hope that the chapter will be updated to reflect the current practices and functionality of Cadet Advisory Councils. An agenda item on changes to term limits has been submitted for the NEC's new business. The other items are under further development and coordination for presentation with the 2010 Summer National Board Agenda.

3. This Council has taken an active stance with the Cadet Physical Fitness Test agenda item. Earlier in the term, the Council unanimously voted that a change in the test's scoring system is necessary. Our goal is to also have this item presented at the 2010 Summer National Board Meeting; the Council strongly recommends the adoption of a point system in scoring the CPFT, structured like the system used by the USAF and AFROTC.

4. Now that the CAPR 52-16 revisions and CPFT proposal have been completed, the National Cadet Advisory Council is prioritizing our agenda with our items focused upon developing greater safety practices amongst cadets. The Council will be working closely with the National Safety Team to further enhance the safety practices of all members.

5. The Council's NCC Committee has been working closely with the NCC Working Group and assisted in the development of the Working Group's report on the NCC White Paper proposals for the NEC meeting. In working to increase the span of input on the proposed changes to cadet competitions, the Executive Council established the NCC Commission. This commission consists of 21 members, including two senior members, three NCAC cadets, and 16 cadets from the general membership. No member of the commission is from the same wing. Commission members will be tasked with administering a survey to poll the general membership and developing a report of their findings.

6. Amendments to the NCAC Constitution and Bylaws, standards for RCLS and NCOA curriculum, and possibilities for a National Cadet Symposium are also items on the Council's agenda.

7. If you have any questions or concerns about this request or need further clarification, do not hesitate to contact me via email at zachary.king@cac.cap.gov or telephone at (856) 305-9984.


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